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Sir:

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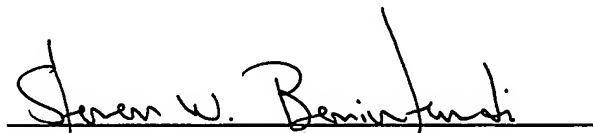
copies of U.S. patents and published applications has been waived, copies of only the foreign cited references and/or other documents are enclosed herewith.

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It is believed that a first Office Action on the merits has yet to be mailed and thus no fee is believed due herefor. If a fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully Submitted,

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